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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Division of Child and Family Services will hold a public workshop proposing the adoption of regulations pertaining to Chapters 62B and 62H of the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC).

This workshop will be conducted in accordance with NRS 241.020, of Nevada's Open Meeting Law.

DATE: August 14, 2019 LOCATION: Division of Public and Behavioral Health

4150 Technology Way, Room 303

Carson City, NV 89706

TIME: 3:00pm until adjourned

Aging and Disability Services 1020 Ruby Vista Dr. Suite 102

Elko, NV 89801

Grant Sawyer State Office Building 555 E. Washington Ave. #5100 Governor's Conference Room, 5th Floor

Las, Vegas, NV 89101

AGENDA

- 1. Introduction of the workshop process
- 2. Call workshop to order
- 3. Overview of Purpose of the Workshop
- 4. Public Comment
- 5. Next Steps and Announcement of the Written Comment Deadline
- 6. Adjourn

The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topic that may be addressed in the proposed regulations of the Nevada Revised Statutes:

- Establishes procedures for the Division to verify that a public or private institution or agency to which a juvenile court commits a child, including, without limitation, a facility for the detention of children randomly to ensure youth are placed in a manner that is appropriate for the gender identity and expression of the youth.
- Establishes required protocols for the use of state money on evidence-based programs and services; and establishes required protocols for the Division to withhold state money for failure to comply.
- Establishes requirements for the use of an evidence-based risk assessment, a mental health screening tool, and the development of an individualized case plan.
 - This includes the requirement of the Juvenile Justice Oversight Commission to review and approve the mental health screening tool and the individualize case plan.
 - This includes the requirement to have a full mental health evaluation for those youth who are identified to need one based on the screening tool.
- Revises and updates the current regulations for the collection of data pertaining to juvenile justice.
 - This includes a method to capture recidivism data, data on risk and needs levels, poverty levels, household composition, community supervision levels, family engagement, and reentry planning.
 - This includes the requirements to capture data status offenders, racial and ethnic disparities, and Juvenile Justice Oversight Commission approved juvenile justice performance measures.

A copy of all materials relating to the proposal may be obtained at the workshop or at the following locations:

Youth Parole Services
Division of Child and Family
Services
751 Ryland St.
Reno, NV 89502

Juvenile Services
Division of Child and Family
Services
4126 Technology Way
Carson City, NV 89706

A reasonable fee for copying may be charged. The agency's small business impact statement is attached. The Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulations has been to all persons on the agency's mailing list for administrative regulations and posted at the following locations.

Members of the public who require special accommodations or assistance at the workshops are required to notify in writing or by calling the DCFS contact listed below at least five (5) working days prior to the date of the public workshop.

Leslie Bittleston 4126 Technology Way Carson City, NV 89706 775-684-4448

Copies may be obtained in person, by mail, or by calling Juvenile Services at (775) 684-4448.

A copy of this notice has been posted at the following locations:

- 1. Division of Public and Behavioral Health, 4150 Technology Way, First Floor Lobby, Carson City
- 2. Children's Behavioral Services, 2655 Enterprise Rd. Reno, NV
- 3. Nevada State Library and Archives, 100 Stewart Street, Carson City
- 4. Legislative Building, 401 S. Carson Street, Carson City
- 5. Grant Sawyer Building, 555 E. Washington Avenue, Las Vegas

Carson City Library 900 North Roop Street Carson City, NV 89702

Clark County District Library 833 Las Vegas Boulevard North Las Vegas, NV 89101

Elko County Library 720 Court Street Elko, NV 89801

Eureka Branch Library 210 South Monroe Street Eureka, NV 89316-0283

Humboldt County Library 85 East 5th Street Winnemucca, NV 89445-3095

Lincoln County Library 93 Maine Street Pioche, NV 89043-0330

Mineral County Library 110 pt Street Hawthorne, NV 89415-1390

Pershing County Library 1125 Central Avenue Lovelock, NV 89419-0781

Tonopah Public Library 167 Central Street Tonopah, NV 89049-0449 Churchill County Library 553 South Main Street Fallon, NV 89406

Douglas County Library 1625 Library Lane Minden, NV 89423

Esmeralda County Library Comer of Crook and 4th Street Goldfield, NV 89013-0484

Henderson District Public Library 280 South Water Street Henderson, NV 89105

Lander County Library 625 South Broad Street Battle Mountain, NV 89820-0141

Lyon County Library 20 Nevin Way Yerington, NV 89447-2399

Pahrump Library District 701 East Street Pahrump, NV 89041-0578

Storey County Library 95 South R Street Virginia City, NV 89440-0014

Washoe County Library 301 South Center Street Reno,NV 89505-2151

White Pine County Library 950 Campton St. Ely, NV 89301-1965 Per NRS 233B.064(2), upon adoption of any regulations, the agency, if requested to do so by an interested person, either prior to adoption or within 30 days thereafter, shall issue a concise statement of the principal reasons for and against its adoption, and incorporate therein its reason for overruling the consideration urged against its adoption.